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CHEMICOPHARMACEUTICAL PLANT UPS OUTFIT

Authorities of the "Ariaria" Chemtopharmaceutical Factory revealed that a 9-month production quota had been fulfilled in all categories of products. They further revealed that a million rubles' worth of medicinal preparations had been produced in excess of quotas. The increased productivity has decreased costs by about 40 percent in comparison with 1948.

It is hoped that the current Five-Year Plan will be completed in December.

Last year a "naganin" shop was organized. Several production difficulties were eliminated due to the initiative of Chernikova, Tarakanov, Kuzovkin, and others, who were foremen in the new shop, with the result that the annual production quota will be completed in September. Semifinished products shops have saved 400,000 rubles through improved manufacturing processes.

The ether shops improved their production by better utilization of available equipment and stock piles. A new method for manufacturing dichlorobenzoic acid has been introduced with very good results. At present, plans call for the production of impure pyramidon with equipment which has been freed by the improved production methods in the dichlorobenzoic acid shops.

Improved utilization of equipment and better organization of internal resources have led to many good results. The production time for naganin has been reduced by 40 percent, and for atebirin, rivanol, and ether, by 15 - 20 percent.

Many recommendations for improved production methods were submitted at a recent conference of workers of the factory. Many of these suggestions will soon be put into practice and should aid production qualitatively and quantitatively. More emphasis will be placed on the utilization of by-products. Greater mechanization of processes will be resorted to as one method for quantitative production. In all of these improvement programs much aid is expected from the All-Union Scientific Research Institute of Chemistry and Pharmaceutics imeni Sergey Ordzhonikidze.

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